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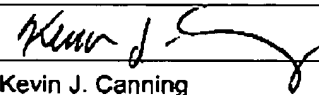
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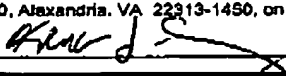
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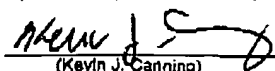
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2005, in which claims 18-27 were allowed; claims 1-8, 10, 12-17, 28-30 and 32 were rejected; and claims 9, 11, and 31 were objected to, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.